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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Jewett of Ripley by request.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to the Sale of Cigarettes.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 129, § 38, amended. Section 38 of chapter 129 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 38. Sale of cigarettes to persons under 16 years of age; penalty; jurisdiction. Whoever by himself, clerk, servant, or agent, directly or indirectly sells, offers for sale, has in his possession with intent to sell, or gives away to, or in any way obtains for any person under the age of ~~twenty-one~~ 16 years, any cigarette, cigarette paper, so-called, or tobacco such as is used for making any cigarette, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50, or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days. Trial justices and municipal courts shall have jurisdiction of offenses under this section.'